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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: Weenna Bucay-Cuoto et al.

Serial No.: 09/911,051

Filed: 07/23/2001

Title: LONG-TERM INDWELLING MEDICAL DEVICES  
CONTAINING SLOW-RELEASING ANTIMICROBIAL AGENTS  
AND HAVING A SURFACTANT SURFACE

Art Unit: 3763

Examiner: Serke, Catherine

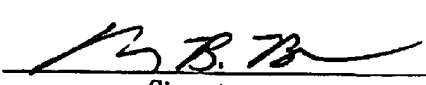
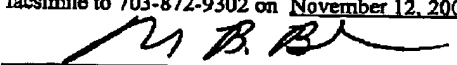
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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE

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Responsive to the outstanding Office Action dated August 12, 2003 in the above-identified patent application (hereinafter "the Office Action"), please enter the following amendments and remarks:

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Applicant(s): Weenna Bucay-Cuoto et al.				01-089	
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09/911,051	07/23/2001	Serke, Catherine	3763		
Invention: LONG-TERM INDWELLING MEDICAL DEVICES CONTAINING SLOW-RELEASING ANTIMICROBIAL AGENTS AND HAVING A SURFACTANT SURFACE <u>TO THE ASSISTANT COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:</u>					
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